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Attachments: none

A) Yugoslav Ground Armed Forces

a) ~~Commands~~ *Headquarters***DO NOT DETACH**

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Organization of Military Districts in the Slovenian Capital

Ljubljana

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Until the end of 1948, there existed a Vojni Odsek in each city district. After that date, these have been eliminated and in their stead for each district there now exists an "administrator" or "representative" for national defense ( representative Narodne Obrane). The representative is a civilian.

Duties: numerous, as these district offices, in addition to their regular work, must also keep up to date the military passbooks ( Vojne Knjizice ) and advise the persons under their control where to report in case of mobilization.

The office of the representative of the 4th district ~~xxx~~ has three employees. The man in charge is ~~xxx~~ <sup>a</sup> former shoemaker from Ljubljana. These representatives for national defense ~~depend on xxx~~ are under the jurisdiction of the Vojni Okrug, located ~~at Ilirska~~ <sup>on</sup> ~~Street~~ <sup>Street</sup> in Ljubljana, in a building part of which is occupied by a secondary school.

b) Troops

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This will confirm the presence of the following

Ljubljana

units in the garrison:

artillery units ( ~~not specified~~ <sup>unidentified</sup> ), located in the

Tirsena Avenue barracks

infantry units ( ~~not specified~~ <sup>unidentified</sup> ), located in the ~~barracks~~ former

DOMOBRANSKA barracks

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c ) Schools

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School for reserve officers

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reserve officers.

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lasts 1 year. Upon completion of the course, the students get promoted

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*the rank of*  
to ~~ZASTAVNIK~~ ZASTAVNIK. The school is located in the castle which was a seminary previously.

d) Miscellaneous military news

Feb/ 1951-- Morale of Yugoslav troops

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[Redacted] the morale of the

troops is somewhat low. The main reasons for this state of affairs are:

- For the great majority of the troops, who are farmers by trade, the great concern about their families deprived of ~~the~~ <sup>a</sup> minimum subsistence caused by their having to turn over to the state *was release much of* ~~all~~ their crops
- lack of ~~stability~~ *freedom*
- undue emphasis on lectures of a political nature .

Food, however, seems to be sufficient.

Equipment and clothing are:

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Good in the large garrisons

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very poor in the ~~xxx~~ units stationed in small communities.

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B) ECONOMIC NEWS

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Feb. 1951

Until now, the following have been distributed

Ljubljana

in modest amounts

fats

flour

powdered eggs

~~sheepdog~~

~~great advantage from these exports in~~ Most of the people who so far  
~~have~~ have not derived any great advantage from these food shipments seem to  
think that

either the Government is building up ~~armies~~<sup>armies</sup> for the armed forces or else is putting them aside in order to distribute them in the spring when the ~~ix~~ crisis will be even more acute, as the ~~no~~ domestic resources will be completely exhausted by then.

## 2 ) Finances

Feb. 1951 Exchange of Foreign Currencies

LJUBLJANA

The <sup>exchange</sup> ~~value~~ of dollars is as follows:

bank rate, 50 dinars per dollar

black market rate, 600-800 dinars

Feb. 1951      3) Stores where merchandise may be purchased

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with foreign exchange only.

Until a short time ago, ~~there~~ there was in operation a store called TEA ( the meaning of the abbreviations is ~~unknown~~ not known ) where only with foreign exchange was it possible to purchase merchandise ( also and primarily of foreign origin ) which could not be found elsewhere.

People with foreign exchange were required to deposit this exchange with a bank which would ~~release~~ <sup>issue</sup> a receipt enabling the purchaser to buy what he needed at ~~the~~ the store.

The prevailing prices were quite reasonable. For example, with one dollar it was possible to purchase a kilo of sugar, which on the free market would cost 500 dinars.

This system was designed to take away from private individuals any foreign currency which they held. Most of the people, however, for fear of being accused by the police of holding an excessive amount of foreign exchange, very seldom made deposits in excess of 10 or 15 dollars.

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has been temporarily suspended because of difficulties which have arisen ( allocation of the foreign exchange thus acquired ) which between the interested Republic ( they probably mean USA ) and the Central Government.

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C ) POLITICAL NEWS

1) Members of the municipal administration of Ljubljana

Feb. 1951 President of the "MESNI LJUDSKI ODBOR" is <sup>one</sup> ~~a certain~~ Sitar Franz, formerly a workngman from Ljubljana

President of the "4 FAJONSKI LJUDSKI ODBOR" is ~~a certain~~ <sup>one</sup> Zdesar Enrik, a native of Ljubljana

2) Districts into which Ljubljana is divided:

At one time the city was divided into quarters. At present, ~~in~~ it is subdivided into 5 districts:

1st District: former Centro and Rakovnik quarters

2nd District: former Siska, Bezigrad and S.Vid quarters

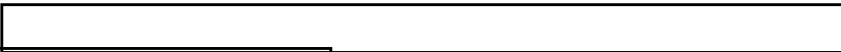
3rd District: Former Moste quarter

4th District : former ~~quater~~ Vic quarter

5th District: former Polje quarter ( airport zone )

3) Cominformists among the members of the Yugoslav Communist Party

Oct. 1950)



Ljubljana



about 70% of the <sup>of the party</sup> members have cominformist

ideas.



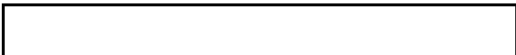
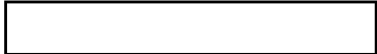
this percentage is a little high, but



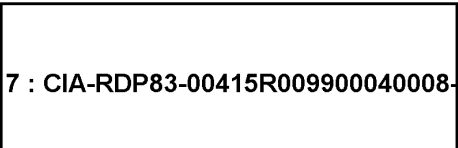
the number of cominformist within the party is fairly high.

~~The population, men, the women, and the children~~ The majority of the population, however, is opposed to the party and to Russia, and is in favor of the Western countries.

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